

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

—AND—

SCHOOL BOARD

—OF THE—

Town of Chatham

For the Fiscal Year Ending March 1, 1893.

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# REPORT.

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## TOWN VALUATION.

Resident valuation April 1, 1892,	\$66,577 00
Non-resident,	21,572 00
Total,	<hr/> \$88,149 00

## MONEY RAISED AND ASSESSED 1892.

Support of schools,	\$500 00
County tax,	308 75
State tax,	180 00
Contingent expenses,	200 00
Overlay in assessment,	58 66
	<hr/> \$1,247 41

## RAISED FOR THE REPAIR OF HIGHWAYS ETC.

Voted,	\$600 00
Overlay in assessment,	22 86
	<hr/> \$622 86

## ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Robert K. Eastman, school money,	\$100 00
“ “	100 00
“ “	100 00
“ “	100 00
“ “	100 00
“ literary fund,	150 25
	<hr/> \$650 25



### BOUNTY ON WILD ANIMALS.

Frank Stiles, bounty on one bear,	\$10 00
Orrin Heath,           "   "	10 00
F. C. Merrill, bounty on four bears,	40 00
Eddie Johnson, bounty on one bear,	10 00
George Drew,           "   "	10 00
	<hr/> \$80 00

### ORDERS DRAWN FOR CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Robert K. Eastman, for school books,	\$57 42
Wm. Spencer, services as clerk, '91,	8 00
"           taking care of town house,	2 00
"           reporting births and deaths,	3 00
Abram Anderson, services as sup't of check-list,	4 00
George Chandler, working non-resident,	1 50
Richard F. Chandler, services as selectman,	20 00
James M. Weeks,           "           "	17 00
Dexter Charles,           "           "	13 00
Osborn Sanborn, sup't of chech-list for '90, '91, '92,	12 00
"           services as constable,	3 00
James M. Weeks, sup't of schools '91,	8 00
Warren D. McKeen, bridge stringers '92,	25 00
R. Fult Wormwood, printing town reports,	15 00
Chas. H. Binford, sup't of schools,	6 00
Widow Stephen Twombly, abatement tax '91,	3 30
Clarence Meserve,           "	1 65
Stephen Meader,           "	2 71
Joseph Leavitt,           "	1 65
Albert Spencer,           "	1 65
Alen C. Sirley,           "	2 67
H. K. Hobbs, abatement of tax on timber,	2 50
P. A. Bradley,           "           "	2 50
James A. Brickett,           "           on horse,	1 09
Ira A. Andrews, for bridge plank,	17 00
Caleb W. Brickett, collecting taxes 1891,	51 99
Moses Stevens, abatement of tax 1891,	3 57

Caleb W. Bricket, property sold town for taxes,	26 52
Moore & Brown, stove furnished Dist. No. 4,	14 20
Robert K. Eastman, services as Supt. of schools,	10 00
Richard F. Chandler for books and blanks,	9 75
John F. Charles, services as treasurer 1891,	12 00
“ interest on note,	6 20
Walter P. McLean, bridge stringers,	7 00
Seth A. Page, for stove for Dist. No. 2,	6 00
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	\$378 87

#### NON-RESIDENT HIGHWAY ORDERS.

Frank Drew, working non-resident tax,	\$ 5 00
C. M. McKenny, “	26
Samuel Hamilton, non-resident tax,	13
Adam Brown, “	5 20
Owners unknown, “	33
Wm. Leavitt, “	1 95
Noyes Abbott, “	52
Merritt E. Clay, working non-resident tax,	10 20
Brown & Co., “	7 48
Caleb W. Brickett, “	1 30
Amos Haley, “	7 82
Chandler Heath, “	2 28
Clay & Mason, “	1 65
McKenny & Clay, “	4 56
James Hardy, “	48
P. B. Hutchins and heirs of H. D. Hutchins,	2 68
Nathaniel and Stephen Hardy,	1 13
Nathaniel Hardy,	1 95
Ward B. Hutchins,	1 34
Henry Andrews,	98
Frank Locke, working non-resident tax,	1 30
Bradley Woodward, “	65
B. F. Harriman, “	3 25
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	\$62 44

## OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

Seth Webb, abatement of dog tax,	\$ 1 00
Robert K. Eastman, school money order,	150 25
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	\$151 25

## FINANCIAL STANDING.

## LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders,	\$151 25
Bills not presented, estimated,	200 00
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	\$351 25

## RESOURCES.

Due from Chandler's list 1892,	\$408 99
Due from State for bear bounty,	50 25
Cash in treasury,	66 85
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	\$526 09
Balance in favor of town,	\$174 84

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD F. CHANDLER,	} Selectmen of Chatham.
JAMES M. WEEKS,	
DEXTER CHARLES,	



## SCHOOL REPORT.

### DISTRICT No. 1.

Summer term was taught by Miss Lydia A. Flint of Sweden, Me. Length of term, eight weeks. Whole unnumber of scholars, 5. Average number, 4. Paid teacher \$3.25 per week, district gave board. This was Miss Flint's first term. She gave good satisfaction and gained the good will of the scholars.

Winter term commenced and kept eight weeks with Miss Bessie M. Wheeler for teacher. Then there was a vacation of five weeks on account of scarlet fever. Miss Wheeler is one of the best of teachers, and it was regretted that she could not return. The school is now being finished by Miss Grace Page, a teacher of considerable experience. Paid \$4.00 per week for teaching this school. \$8.00 for wood. Whole number of scholars, 8, average 7. Board \$1. 75.

### DISTRICT No. 2.

Summer term of nine weeks taught by Miss Addie Allard. Whole number of scholars, 20, average number 18. Wages of teacher, \$5.00 per week, board given. This was Miss Allard's third term in this district. She is a first-class teacher.

Winter term commenced and kept nine weeks under the tuition of Miss Hattie Abbott. Miss Abbott is a good teacher. Whole number of scholars, 18, average 15. Wages of teacher \$5.00 per week, board \$2.00. Paid \$9.00 for wood. Miss Abbott was not able to finish her school. Term was kept out by Miss Bessie P. Walker. This was her first school. Have no doubt she will make an excellent teacher.

### DISTRICT No. 3.

No report sent in by Mr. Binford, who has charge of that school.

### DISTRICT No. 4.

Summer term taught by Miss Eva E. Martin, Lovell Centre,

Me. Length of term ten weeks. Whole number of scholars, 20, average 18. Wages of teacher per week \$4.25. Price of board per week \$1.25. Miss Martin is an experienced teacher but the scholars did not make the advancement which they should in the time.

Winter term taught by W. C. Charles of this town. Length of term, eleven weeks. Whole number of scholars 23, average 17. Wages of teacher per week \$6.00. Price of board unsettled. Amount paid for wood \$1.25. I visited the school near the commencement. Was unable to visit it but once. In my opinion the teacher labored hard and the scholars made good progress.

#### DISTRICT No. 5.

Summer term was taught by Miss Georgia E. Putnam of Lovell Centre, Me. Length of term ten weeks. Whole number of scholars 6, average 5. Wages of teacher \$3.50, price of board per week, \$1.50. Miss Putnam is a well educated, energetic and methodical teacher, and it is to be hoped that she may long follow her chosen avocation.

Winter term taught by Miss Lilly May Hobbs of Fryeburg, Me. Length of term eleven weeks. Whole number of scholars 6, average 4. Wages per week \$4.00, price of board per week \$2.00. At the commencement of school there was evidence of a successful term. Towards the middle of the term there was dissatisfaction with one scholar, but think the teacher did her duty in every respect.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT K. EASTMAN,	} School Board
JAMES M. WEEKS,	
	} of Chatham.



# VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE SELECTMEN:—In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CHATHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1892.

Date.	Name of the Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Par- ents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male	Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of child, 1st, 2d, &c.						
April 14	Edna M.....		Female	Living..	4	W	W	Chatham...	Farmer....	.....	.....
May 21	Lelia A.....		"	"	5	"	"	"	"	.....	.....
Oct. 6	.....	Male.....		"	4	"	"	"	"	.....	.....

## MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CHATHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1892

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Name, Residence, and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 3	Chatham	Charles E. Grant	Jackson	20	W	Laborer	Jackson	Daniel Grant	Jackson	Ithiel E. Clay, J. P.
		Amy V. Bryant	Fryeburg, Me.	16	"		Chatham.	Laura Emery	"	
15	"	Edw'd S. Woodward	Chatham	22	"	Farmer	Holland, Vt.	W. H. Bryant	Fryeburg, Me.	Chatham.
		Alice Bennett	Bethel, Me.	21	"		Bethel, Me.	Lizzie Hayes	Bartlett.	Ithiel E. Clay, J. P.
31	"	Adelbert E. Watson	Chatham	20	"	"	Chatham.	U. S. Woodard	Hanville, Vt.	
		Alice M. Bemis	Fryeburg, Me.	21	"		Fryeburg, Me.	Mary Washburn	"	Chatham.
Mar 20	"	Edward P. Johnson	Chatham	19	"	"	Chatham.	F. S. Bennett	"	
		Mary I. Keef	Oxford, Me.	16	"		Benton, Me.	Betsy Stowell	"	William Spencer, J. P.
Sep 28	"	Winfield Sanborn	Chatham	20	"	"	Chatham.	Orrin H. Watson	Chatham.	Chatham.
		Bertie Hancock	Brighton, Vt.	20	"		Brighton, Vt.	Esther Eastman	Fryeburg, Me.	
Oct. 17	Fryeburg, Me	Walter A. Small	Norway, Me.	24	"	Salesman	Winthrop, Me.	Austin E. B. mis.	Lovel, Me.	Chatham.
		Eva N. Long	Chatham	19	"		Chatham.	Floretta A. Irish	"	William Spencer, J. P.
Nov 24	Chatham	Geo. W. Harriman	Gilead, Me.	23	"	Laborer	"	James J. Johnson	Brownfield, Me	Chatham.
		Annie B. Nute	Chatham	21	"		Ossipee	Lizzie McIntire	Chatham.	Rev. C. S. Young,
								Francis A. Keef	Anson, Me.	Fryeburg, Me.
								Addie Spaulding	Benton, Me.	
								Orestes B. Sanborn	Baldwin, Me.	William Spencer, J. P.
								Mahab'1 McKen	Chatham.	Chatham.
								Jerry Hancock	Franklin, Vt.	
								Lizzie Kimball	"	
								R. D. Small	"	
								Sarah Thompson	"	
								Edwin S. Lang	"	
								Ella Owen	"	
								Edgar Harriman	Chatham.	William Spencer, J. P.
								Abbie	"	
								Thomas Nute	Ossipee.	Chatham.
								Emely Harris	"	

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CHATHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1892.

Date.	Place of death	Name and Surname of the deceased.	Age.			Place of birth.	Sex and Condition.			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Maiden Name of Mother.
			Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.		Father.	Mother.	
Jan. 6	Chatham.....	Ida C. Emerson.....	35	29			M	F	M				
Mar. 14	"	Eva E. Bryant.....	31	9 21			M	F	M				
June 29	"	Ephraim Bryant.....	75	9 1			M	F	M	Farmer			
Sept 25	"	Stephen Meader.....	85	7 23			"	"	"	"			

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true transcript of the record of all the Births, Marriages and Deaths, that have been reported to me for the year ending December 31, 1892.

WILLIAM SPENCER, Town Clerk.



